Difficulties being faced by public sector drug units

1323. SHRI DEBENDRA NATH BARMAN:
SHRI NARAYAN KAR:
SHRI M. A. BABY:

Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether due to frequent increases in bulk drug prices by the manufacturing and supplying agencies public sector drug industries are almost on the verge of closure;

(b) if so, whether such frequent increase in prices is working against public sector drug units; and

(c) whether any relief will be given to public sector drug units to combat such price rise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CHEMICALS AND PETRO-CHEMICALS IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI R. K. JAICHANDRA SINGH): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

Calcutta Electric Supply Corporation

1324. SHRI NARAYAN KAR:
SHRI DEBENDRA NATH BARMAN:

Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the new power generation project for Calcutta Electric Supply Corporation is a Central Government Project;

(b) if so, whether Rs. 210 crores sanctioned recently for this purpose is a central loan and is likely to be released soon; and

(c) if so, what are the details in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF POWER IN THE MINISTRY OF ENERGY (SHRIMATI SUSHILA ROHATGI): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

1325. [*Transferred to the 12th March, 1987*].

Production and import of power plants

1326. DR. R. K. PODDAR: Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) what is the total capacity of power plants imported during the last three years and how much of these are gas turbines, thermal sets and hydel sets;

(b) what is the total capacity of power plants produced by various public sector undertakings in the country during the last three years gas turbines, thermal and hydel sets-wise; and

(c) what was the requirement of these units during the same period?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF POWER IN THE MINISTRY OF ENERGY (SHRIMATI SUSHILA ROHATGI): (a) to (c) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Thermal power station in Andhra Pradesh

1327. SHRI TALARI MANOHAR: Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the proposal sent by the Government of Andhra Pradesh for setting up of a Super Thermal Power Project of 2000 MW capacity near Manuguru in Khammam district is included in Seventh Plan;

(b) if so, what are the details of the proposal and the amount sanctioned for the purpose; and

(c) if the answer to part (a) above be in the negative, what are the reasons for the delay?